

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

Docket No. B-5712PCT 622675-1

International Application No.:
PCT/JP2003/014835

Applicant(s) for DO/EO/US:

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International Filing Date:
20 November 2003

Title of Invention:

"GAME IMAGE DISPLAY CONTROL PROGRAM, GAME MACHINE AND STORAGE MEDIUM"

Priority Date Claimed:
20 November 2002

U.S. Application No.
(if known, see 37 CFR 1.5)
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4. ☒ The U.S. Has been elected (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - a. ☒ is attached hereto.
 - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7. ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

11. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet with check for \$40.00 in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☒ A preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15. ☐ A substitute specification.
16. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT rule 13ter.2 and 37CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. ☒ Other items or information: copy of PCT application as published
Claim to Priority (1 page)
copy of Form PCT/IE:108 (1 page)

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22. ☒ Examination fee

and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$ 100.00

23. [X] Search fee

application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority.... \$ 100.00

International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office..... \$ 400.00

All other situations..... \$ 500.00 = \$ 400.00

TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 = \$ 900.00

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Total claims 17 - 20 = 0 x \$50.00 \$ 0

Independent claims	<u>2</u> - 3 =	<u>0</u>	x \$200.00	\$ <u>0</u>
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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) + \$360.00 \$_____

[] Amendment deleting multiple dependencies enclosed

TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$ 900.00

[] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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- check no. 20380 for \$900.00
- Transmittal Letter (2 pages)
- Preliminary Amendment (8 pages)
- copy of English-language translation of PCT International Application as filed consisting of:
 - Specification (44 pages)
 - Claims (6 pages)
 - Abstract (1 page)
 - 17 sheets of Drawings (Figs. 1-2, 3A-3B, 4A-4B, 5-15, 16A-16C, 17)
- copy of PCT International Application as filed and published consisting of:
 - Title page with Abstract (2 pages)
 - Specification (30 pages)
 - Claims (5 pages)
 - 17 sheets of Drawings (Figs. 1-2, 3A-3B, 4A-4B, 5-15, 16A-16C, 17)
 - 1 page of International Search Report
- Declaration/Power of Attorney (4 pages)
- Claim to Priority (1 page)
- copy of Form PCT/IB/308 (1 page)
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) (2 pages)
 - and Form PTO-1449 (modified) (1 page) with copy of International Search Report (1 page) and copies of documents cited therein
- Assignment document (3 pages) with Cover Sheet (1 page), and Check no. 20381 for \$40.00

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